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Trump mulls quarantining state, backs down after Cuomo calls it 'anti-American'

President Trump said he was weighing an "enforceable" quarantine on New York, New Jersey and parts of Connecticut in a desperate bid to contain the spread of COVID-19, but walked it back Saturday night. Gov. Cuomo said he and Trump spoke earlier in the day, but the proposal never came up. "If you start walling off areas all across the country it would just be totally bizarre, counter-productive, anti-American, anti-social," Cuomo said in an interview with CNN on Saturday. The stunning development came as New York remained the epicenter of the nation's coronavirus crisis, with over 52,000 cases and more than 700 deaths.

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